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GA DOT CONTINUES TO ENHANCE ROAD SYSTEM

METRO AREA PROJECTS INCLUDE MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENTS

ATLANTA – Efforts to preserve one of the state’s most valuable assets continue this weekend with extensive construction endeavors across the metro area. Work on the major resurfacing project in the northwest quadrant of I-285 between Ashford Dunwoody and Paces Ferry roads is moving quickly this weekend with lane closures in the three inside lanes both east and westbound from 9:00 p.m. Friday until 5:00 a.m. Monday. Interstate 20, I-75/I-85 and GA 400 all have multiple active projects this weekend impacting motorists.

Here is the work schedule for this weekend. With good weather, the contractors will pave according to the schedule, but conditions may impact the overall work plan.

TRAFFIC INTERRUPTION REPORT FOR WEEKEND

9:00pm Friday – 5:00am Monday

Friday, September 14, 2012 Eastbound Paces Ferry to Long Island Bridge

Lanes 3, 4 & 5 Eastbound Paces Ferry to Long Island Bridge

Lanes 1, 2 & 3 Westbound Ashford Dunwoody to STA. 152

1 group milling and paving Lanes 3, 4 & 5 EB beginning at Paces Ferry

1 group milling and paving Lane 3 WB beginning at Ashford Dunwoody

2 right lanes & outside shoulder closed, Paces Ferry to I-75

9:00pm Friday – 5:00am

Monday

3 right lanes & outside shoulder closed, I-75 to Long Island Bridge

9:00pm Friday – 5:00am

Monday

****NOTE** Auxiliary Lanes 6 & 7 will be closed I-75 to Northside**

1 right lane closed Exit 259A I-75 SB to I-285 EB

9:00pm Friday – 5:00am

Monday

1 right lane closed Exit 259A I-75 NB to I-285 EB

9:00pm Friday – 5:00am

Monday

1 right lane closed I-285 EB CD ramp from Cobb Pkwy On ramp

9:00pm Friday – 5:00am

Monday

3 left lanes & inside shoulder closed, Ashford Dunwoody to Sta. 152

9:00pm Friday – 5:00am Monday

During the ramp closures, signed detours will be in place. The contractor’s hours are Mondays through Thursdays from 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. each day and from Fridays at 9:00 p.m. continuously until Mondays at 5:00 a.m.

Additional weekend construction and maintenance activities are planned in multiple locations around Atlanta. A partial list by county is below, and subject to change based on weather conditions. The complete list of planned work is attached.

Clayton/DeKalb

I-285 EB at MP 63.3 (2.3 mi West of I-85) to MP 45.3 (0.7 mi East of I-20)

8 pm Fri – 5 am Mon (Daily)

1 left lane

Cobb

I-285 EB at MP 18.0 (Paces Ferry Rd) to MP 25.0 (Roswell Rd)

11 pm Fri – 5 am Mon (Daily)

3 left lanes

DeKalb/Cobb

I-285 WB at MP 29.0 (Ashford-Dunwoody Rd) to MP 20.0 (I-75)

9 pm Fri – 5 am Mon (Daily)

3 left lanes

Forsyth

SR 400 NB at MP 21.5 (0.6 mi North of Windward Pkwy) to MP 23.5 (1.2 mi North of McGinnis Ferry Rd)

8 pm Fri – 6 am Sat

1 left lane

SR 400 NB at MP 36.0 (13.7 mi North of McGinnis Ferry Rd) to MP 45.0 (22.7 mi North of McGinnis Ferry Rd)

8 pm Fri – 8 am Sat

1 right lane

SR 400 SB at MP 45.0 (22.7 mi North of McGinnis Ferry Rd) to MP 36.0 (13.7 mi North of McGinnis Ferry Rd)

5:30 pm – 5:30 am Sat

1 right lane

Fulton

SR 400 SB at MP 0.6 (Sidney Marcus Blvd)

9 am Fri – 12 pm Mon (Daily)

1 left lane – Bridge Work

SR 400 NB at MP 8.38 (Abernathy Rd)

8 pm Fri – 6 am Sat

2 right lanes

SR 400 NB at MP 2.35 (Peachtree Rd) to MP 2.85 (Lenox Rd)

8 pm Fri - 5 am Mon (Daily)

Exit Ramp

The Georgia Department of Transportation continues its RoadWorks2012 construction program. Dozens of important roadway infrastructure improvement projects continue throughout the state. Keeping Georgia's transportation network the nation's finest requires continual investment and maintenance. Pardon us for this necessary inconvenience and please drive cautiously in work zones and safely at all times. For more information on Georgia DOT projects, please visit <http://www.dot.ga.gov>; you also may follow the Department on [Facebook](http://www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT) (<http://www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT>) and [Twitter](http://twitter.com/gadeptoftrans) (<http://twitter.com/gadeptoftrans>).

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